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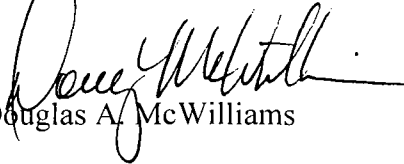
Re: United States of America v. AK Steel Corporation et al.
Case No. 1:10-cv-00996-JG

Under paragraph 66 of the Consent Decree lodged May 4, 2010 in the above-captioned case, each Settling Non-Performing Defendant listed in Appendix D of the Consent Decree must, no later than fifteen days after lodging, submit payment of "all monies necessary to satisfy the claims of the Settling Performing Defendants against the Settling Non-Performing Defendants" to the CRS Site RD/RA Group for deposit into a trust account to be used exclusively by the Settling Performing Defendants to pay CRS Site-related costs. As common counsel to the CRS Site RD/RA Group, I have been authorized to notify the United States and U.S. EPA on behalf of each of the Settling Non-Performing Defendants listed in Appendix D of the Consent Decree that the required payments have been submitted and received by the Settling Performing Defendants and placed into a trust account for the CRS Site. As previously confirmed and agreed, this common letter satisfies the notice obligations of each and every Settling Non-Performing Defendant under Paragraph 66 of the lodged Consent Decree.

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Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,



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cc: Settling Non-Performing Defendants
CRS Site RD/RA Group Members